

6. **(Currently amended)** A communication system according to ~~any of the preceding claims, where~~ wherein a combined connector is provided in the input/output unit.

7. **(Currently amended)** A communication system according to ~~any of the preceding claims claim 1, where~~ wherein the input/output units ~~are communicating~~ communicate with each other using a communication protocol allowing change of the receiver/transmitter status of these during operation.

8. **(Currently amended)** An input/output unit for use in connection with a communication system according to ~~any of the preceding claims claim 1,~~ the input/output unit comprising a first connector for connection of a communication line, a second connector for connection of an input/output device, a rechargeable battery and a third connector for connection of a charging voltage to the rechargeable battery, ~~where~~ wherein the unit comprises transmitter and receiver for communicating wireless a communication line signal in one direction to a second input/output unit and receiving from the second input/output unit a communication signal for input to the communication line.

9. **(Currently amended)** An input/output unit according to claim 8, ~~where~~ including a combined connector ~~is provided in the input/output unit.~~

10. **(Currently amended)** An input/output unit according to ~~any of the preceding claims, where~~ claim 8, wherein the input/output unit comprises a communication protocol allowing change of the receiver/transmitter status of two units during operation.